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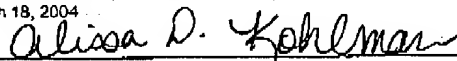
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Application of: Chan et al.
Serial Number: 09/919,194
Filed: July 31, 2001
For: METHOD OF DEWRINKLING FABRICS
Group Art Unit: 1751
Examiner: Einsmann, M.

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This reply is being sent in response to the Final Office Action dated November 18, 2003.
Prior to calculating the filing fee and conducting substantive examination in the Request For Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 being filed concurrently herewith, please consider the amendments shown below. This reply is also accompanied by a formal Request for Extension of Time under 37 CFR § 1.136.

Claims 11-20 have been rejected. Applicants have amended claim 14 and have cancelled claims 15 and 20. Thus, claims 11-14 and 16-19 are currently pending in the application.



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